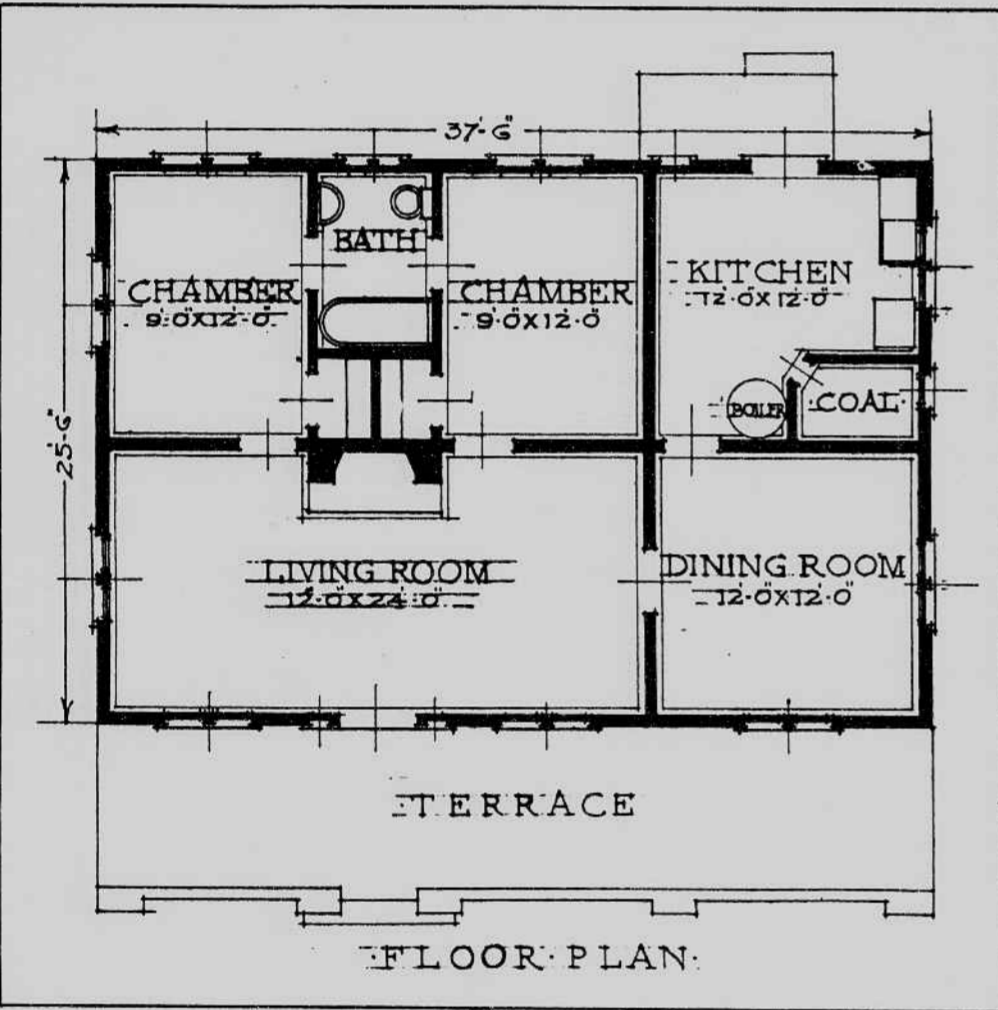


A SIX-ROOM STUCCO COTTAGE TO BE BUILT AND FURNISHED, READY FOR OCCUPANCY, IN FIVE DAYS AT THE "OWN YOUR OWN HOME" EXPOSITION.

ANDREW J. THOMAS, Architect

This house, from designs by Andrew J. Thomas, is to be built, decorated and furnished, ready for occupancy, in five and one-half days. The construction is double wall stucco and the framework wood, on the outside of which is applied building paper and Composite metal lath. Over this the Hodges Stucco Machine Works, with their cement gun, will shoot the cement. Bestwall board, which is a composition board that takes either plaster, paint or paper, forms the inside walls. The house will be papered by Richard E. Thibaut, Inc., and painted by the Devoe & Reynolds.

The thorough and scientific wiring for electricity and piping for gas are to be put in under the supervision of experts. The lighting fixtures are furnished by the Lightolier Co., the window sash by the Tisdale Lumber Co., the casement hardware by the Window Wall Co., and Arthur Todhunter is putting in one of his beautiful old English mantels. An innovation will be the Receiver in the kitchen, which receives and protects deliveries. The house will be completely furnished by Bloomingdale Brothers.

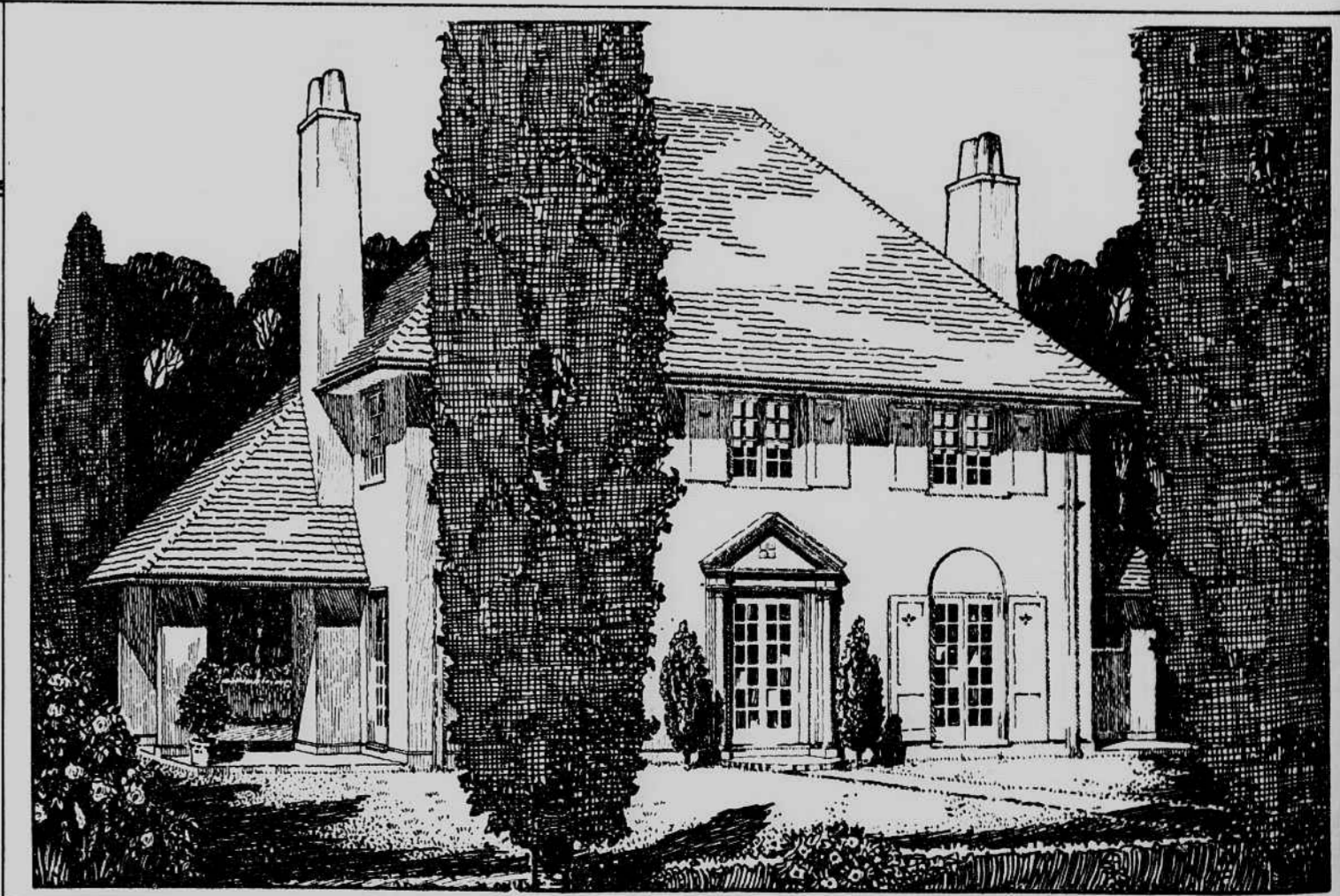
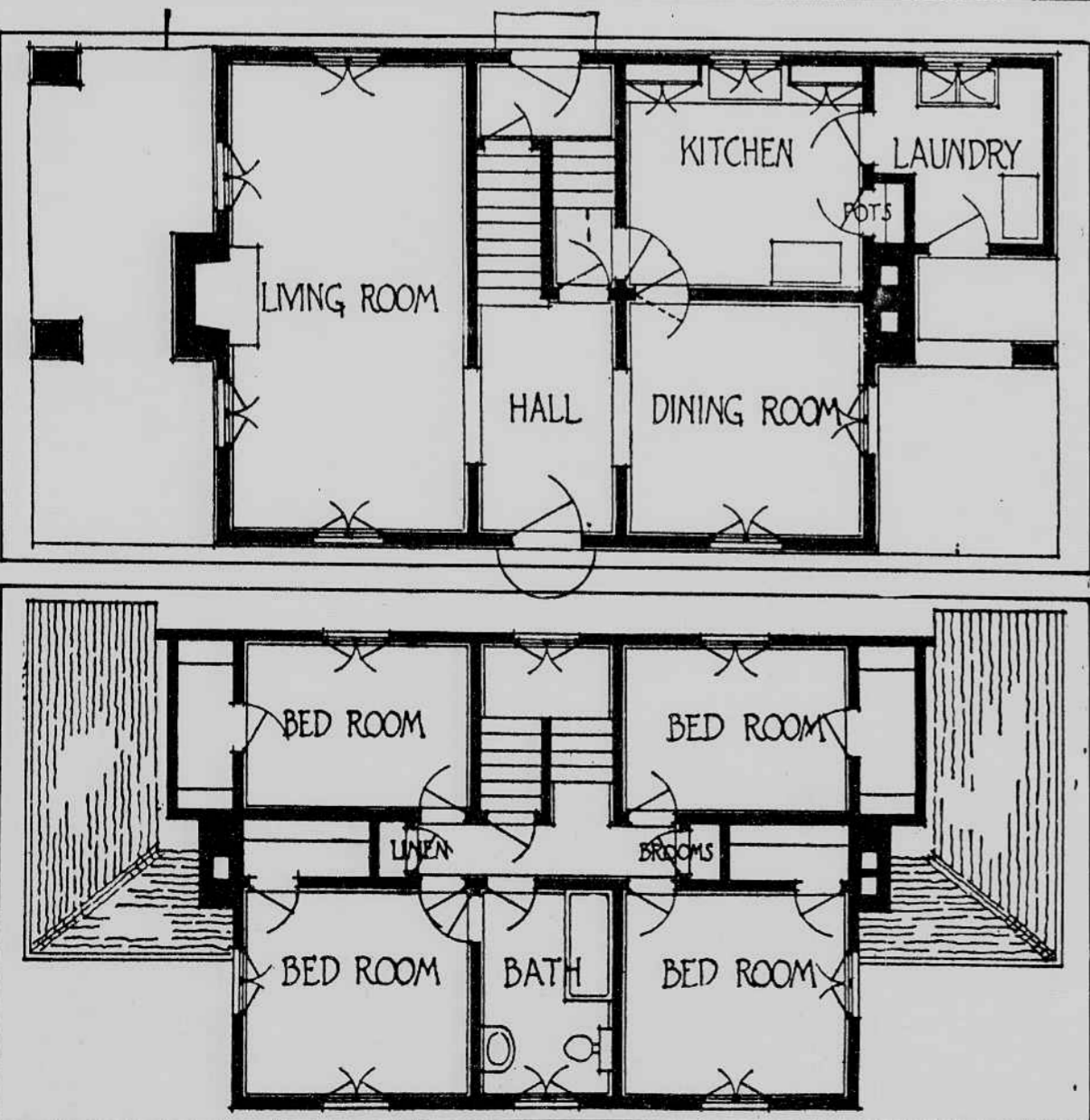


A MOLDED ONE-STORY CONCRETE COTTAGE OF NEW ENGLAND VILLAGES STYLE.

MILTON DANA MORRILL, Architect

This attractive and fireproof house of five rooms and bath is made of molded concrete (somewhat after the fashion of the concrete houses proposed by Thomas Edison several years ago), and at present prices can be built for from \$5,500 to \$6,500, according to location. This charming one-story home gives the convenience of a city flat, plus all the air and light advantages of the country. In sections where there are sand and gravel these new type houses can be built from the material excavated in digging the cellar which the plans call for under one end of the house.

Or coal cinders, a waste product, may be successfully used in making the concrete. Our city building departments have recognized that good houses can be made from cinder concrete and have given permits for sixty-six of this type, which have just been completed at Manhattan Beach. See the model of this molded house at the "Own Your Own Home" Exposition, at the Grand Central Palace, this coming week. The above picture is of one of the concrete bungalows of V. M. Hillyer, Washington, D. C., designed by Milton Dana Morrill.



AN EIGHT-ROOM STUCCO HOME OF NOVEL DESIGN THAT MAY BE BUILT AT A REASONABLE COST.

ROBERT TAPPIN, Architect

The design of this novel, yet artistic and comfortable, home is by Robert Tappin, of Cram & Ferguson. It represents a frame building of eight rooms on a concrete foundation. The walls are of stucco laid over wire lath and the roof is shingled. The windows are casement, swinging in. The interior finish of the house is of cypress, stained. Hard pine should be used for the floors, and the walls should be rough finished and plaster tinted. All outdoor woodwork should be painted a color to harmonize

with the stucco. Note these attractive features—the graceful sloping lines of the roof, the quaint chimney pots, the large closets, the accessibility of all rooms to the stairs, the convenient kitchen and laundry arrangement, the open vista from the dining room to the living room, the clean cut wall space of all the rooms, the artistic doorway, the attractive shutters both for the upstairs windows and the main floor French windows of the dining and living rooms, and, above all, the unusual simplicity of design.